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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS

Some of It May Interest You; All Of It Is Worth a Perusal

James Donohoe of Adamana spent several days in town this week.

H. J. Ramer is in town from his cattle ranch near Heber. He reports range conditions fine.

Rev. W. B. Cole of Winslow conducted the regular weekly preaching service in the Holbrook M. E. church Monday evening.

Have you seen the new line of tumblers and sherbet glasses, at Wetzler's just the thing for your afternoons. Adv.

The board of county supervisors will convene in regular monthly session next Monday, May 1.

C. W. Harp, deputy sheriff in Winslow, was in Holbrook Wednesday evening on official business.

Wm. Peterson, superintendent of the Whiteriver Indian agency, was in Holbrook last Saturday looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Perkins returned Tuesday afternoon from a short visit at the home of Captain and Mrs. Henry Warren, at the Aztec ranch.

Misses Dee M. Moss and Pauline Woods, of the county recorder's office, visited relatives and friends in Winslow Saturday night and Sunday.

Prof. Joseph Peterson, county superintendent of schools, left here Tuesday afternoon for a trip through the southern part of the county.

Fay I. Gardner, county assessor, has been in Holbrook several days this week finishing up the work of assessing property. R. S. Teeple, deputy assessor, is working in Winslow.

The Easter sale held in the U. S. theatre building last Saturday afternoon by the Ladies' Aid society was a very successful affair, and a considerable sum of money was realized.

E. J. Marty of Indian Wells returned Tuesday evening from Los Angeles, to which place he accompanied his wife last week. The latter will remain in California for an extended visit.

Father Marx will hold services in the Catholic church in Holbrook next Sunday. Mass at 8:30 in the forenoon, and devotional services in the afternoon at 4 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

Dr. E. B. Walker and wife, of Carrizozo, N. M., were in town last Monday from Winslow, where they have been stopping for several days. Dr. Walker is looking for a location to practice medicine and may locate in Holbrook or Winslow.

C. P. Cooley returned last Sunday from a trip to the Cooley ranch near Pinetop, with a quantity of furniture and household goods which he will use in his residence here. Mr. Cooley recently sold his ranch and expects to secure a ranch nearer Holbrook.

Last Saturday night the Easter dance given by the Pastime theatre management was attended by a large number of people and was greatly enjoyed. The music furnished by the Pastime orchestra is one of the chief attractions and it can always be depended upon to draw a crowd.

Robert Scott of Mesa has been spending a week in Holbrook looking after his business in vestments. Last Sunday Mr. Scott and his nephew, J. Frank Matthews, assistant cashier of the Merchants & Stockgrowers Bank, made an automobile trip to Showlow and Pinedale, returning Monday evening. Mr. Scott retired from the wool growing business in this county several years ago, but retained various investments here which are under the management of others.

Last Sunday evening a troop of U. S. Cavalry which had been stationed Fort Apache, 90 miles south of Holbrook, left here by special train for Columbus, N. M., to join the forces under the command of General Pershing in Mexico. The troop was composed of negro soldiers and were in charge of two officers, who are white men. The soldiers rode in Sunday morning from Snowflake, where they had spent the night. The horses and men were fed here, and by 5 o'clock in the evening men and horses were on the train ready for the start. In the troop were 68 enlisted men, two officers, 69 saddle horses, two wagons and 10 mules. The train was scheduled to reach Columbus late Monday evening.

Judge Alfred Ruiz and Benigno Lopez appeared before Judge Crosby of the superior court the forepart of the week in regard to the estate of the late Theodore Lopez, and while here filed with the clerk the petition of Mrs. Mary R. Lopez, wife of the deceased, for letters of administration. Mrs. Lopez and children leave Concho today with her parents for their home in Gallup, where she will spend the next two months.—St. Johns Observer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Clemons had as their guests last Sunday three sisters of Mrs. Clemons, Misses Fay, Lena and Nettie Hey. The latter, who closed a successful term of school at Manila last week, is still a guest at the home of her sister in Holbrook, and will later go to her home in Mason, Tex. The two former returned to their home in Winslow Sunday evening.

Everything for the garden at Wetzler's. Adv.

A. Vendevart and A. R. Flanders, the well known wool buyers of Boston, have been in Holbrook for a week, coming here from Phoenix where they purchased considerable wool. The growers here are holding out for good prices and the Boston men have not purchased much wool in this vicinity.

Misses Pearl Hopper and Ethel Folson, of Oklahoma City, arrived in Holbrook Tuesday morning for an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McGowan. Miss Hopper is a sister of Mrs. McGowan and spent several months here last summer.

C. S. Neel, of Modesto, Cal., has accepted a position in the Santa Fe freight office in Holbrook. Mr. Neel is a brother of B. B. Neel, assistant agent for the company here, and worked here for a while three years ago.

Large assortment of paints and brushes at Wetzler's. Adv.

Albert Warren, the merchant tailor, is showing a fine line of spring and summer suitings for men and women. Better let him figure with you on that new suit.

Father Marks came in from Winslow Monday evening and held services in the Catholic church that night and Tuesday morning.

A car load of galvanized pipe was unloaded in Holbrook yesterday and is being hauled to Woodruff for use by the irrigation district.

If you need a tank or anything in the pump line see Wetzler's. Adv.

A. E. Henning of Pinto was a business visitor to Holbrook Thursday.

Jno. R. Hulet visited his family in Snowflake a few days early this week.

Wetzler's received a complete line of Screen Doors this week. Adv.

Dr. J. W. Bazell attended a meeting of the State medical association in Phoenix this week.

Ed Bargeman of Winslow was a business visitor to Holbrook Wednesday.

Buy your porch furniture now at Wetzler's and get the full season's benefit. Adv.

New shipment of new potatoes and new onions at Wetzler's. Adv.

C. R. Kelly was raised to the degree of Master Mason by the local lodge Wednesday night.

Mrs. John H. Miller is visiting the home of her parents in St. Joseph.

It pays to buy the best in the grocery line. Wetzler's make a specialty of the best brands. Adv.

Miss Mayme Saunders, exchange operator for the local telephone company, is spending today with relatives at Pinto.

Attorney W. H. Burbage of Winslow attended to business in superior court last Saturday.

Ed H. Howell of Navajo is attending to business in Holbrook today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Jaques came in from their country home near Lakeside last night and will remain in Holbrook for a few days.

Try a loaf of the Holbrook Bakery's Cream Nut health bread. Home-made candies and all kinds of pies and cakes made to order.—Adv. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Kelly expect to leave Holbrook tomorrow morning for a two weeks' vacation in California, part of which will be spent in Los Angeles.

Mrs. W. H. Clark returned Tuesday evening from Albuquerque, where she had spent a month in a hospital. She has recovered from her illness and is now in her usual health.

Attorney E. P. Conwell of Winslow represented the plaintiff in a suit for divorce tried in the superior court Tuesday. The suit was that of Mariam Lyon vs. Victor E. Lyon. Judge Sapp granted a decree to the plaintiff, the defendant not being represented.

State Senator Isaac Barth of Albuquerque is mentioned by the Albuquerque Journal as a probable candidate for the democratic nomination for governor of New Mexico. The senator is willing, provided Governor McDonald is not a candidate for reelection.

A. Warren, the merchant tailor, has just received his lines of spring and summer suitings. They contain some very attractive patterns and he will be glad if the public will call and inspect them. The ladies are especially invited to call, as his samples of of ladies suits are the best he has ever shown.—Adv. tf.

Messrs Bradley & Williams, local agents for the Dodge Bros. automobiles, report business quite brisk in their line. Their cars for hire are in service nearly every day, and their sales this season have been very satisfactory, with good prospects for future business.

The baseball fever has struck St. Johns and the indications are that there will be something doing this season. We are glad to see the boys get busy and we believe they will be liberally supported if they show that they mean business. A good part of the game of baseball is in the playing, you know.—St. Johns Observer.

C. H. Brown returned Monday evening from Phoenix, where he had gone the week before to start the drive of his sheep to this county. He made the trip by automobile and reached Holbrook about the same time as one of his bands of sheep reached his ranch near Walnut Springs. Mr. Brown drove out to his ranch Tuesday.

A new glass front was placed in the business room of the A. & B. Schuster Co. this week. The windows on either side of the front door are plate glass, and above the doors and show windows leaded prism glass is used. The appearance of the front is greatly improved and the interior of the room is made much lighter. The work was done by Max Henderson.

W. P. Love, of Fort Worth, Tex., arrived in Holbrook Thursday, and this morning was taken to St. Johns by Judge D. J. Thomas. Mr. Love has been offered the position of cashier of the St. Johns State Bank by the new owners, and will probably accept.

Rev. W. B. Cole, pastor of the Methodist church, will preach in the Holbrook church next Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock, immediately after the close of Sunday school. Special music by choir. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Boy Scouts of Holbrook will leave this afternoon after the close of school for a hike to the dam at St. Joseph, where they will spend the night. They expect to return some time tomorrow.

Mrs. Elsie Marley was granted a divorce from A. C. Marley in superior court Thursday morning. The plaintiff was represented by Attorney E. P. Conwell of Winslow. Defendant was not represented by counsel.

W. F. Purcell came in Tuesday by automobile from Phoenix, where he and his family spent the winter. His sheep are now being driven from Phoenix to his ranch near Heber.

Harry Jamison, the well known cattle buyer of Denver, arrived in Holbrook yesterday morning and has been busy since that time interviewing prospective sellers.

T. M. Quebedeaux, C. C. Manning and Sam Bushman passed through Holbrook last Sunday, enroute by automobile from Winslow to their homes in Gallup.

B. B. Crosby, the well known Santa Fe railroad contractor, was in Holbrook Thursday, from his grading camp near Hardy, where he is rebuilding the track washed out a few months ago.

How about electric fixtures for your home? Call on W. H. Clark; he has catalogs from which you can select, and will make delivered prices, cash with order.—Adv. tf.

W. D. Bradley, of the Navajo Garage, returned Saturday from St. Johns, where he had driven the members of the State Tax Commission a few days before.

Place your orders now for coal with the Carbon City Lumber Co. They handle the Victor American Fuel Co's lump coal, best on the market.—Adv. tf.

Candelaria Brothers of Concho delivered their season's clip of wool in Holbrook last week, and sold it to A. Vendevart, the Boston buyer.

Miss Margaret Lewis, of Albuquerque, is a guest at the home of the Misses Wallace and will remain throughout the summer.

LOST—Two keys attached with wire clip. Reward if returned to News office. Adv.

Attorney C. H. Jordan transacted business in Winslow Monday.

Owen M. Guinn of Gallup was in Holbrook last evening, the guest of Miss Ruth Wallace.

Note change in ads of Toggery Shop and Holbrook Mercantile Co.

Attorney J. E. Jones of Flagstaff was a business visitor to Holbrook Monday.

LOST: Small Masonic stick pin. Finder leave at News office and receive reward. Adv. tf.

Notice to Lovers of Music

We beg to announce that we have secured the agency of the Baldwin Piano Company and shall carry a stock of Pianos and Players.

Call and investigate. Adv. Wetzler Supply Co.

For Sale

Cook wagon, completely furnished. Price \$125. Can be seen in Winslow, near roundhouse restaurant. F. Cramer, Winslow, Ariz. Adv. 1 w.

Commencement Program of Snowflake Stake Academy

The Snowflake Stake Academy closes May 4th after one of its most successful years both in number of students and quality of work done.

The program for the closing days of school is given below. All friends and patrons of the school are cordially invited to attend these exercises.

Tuesday, May 2nd. 8 p. m., a concert at the Academy. Free. Wednesday, May 3rd, Exhibition Day at the Academy.

Senior Class program 8 p. m. (at Academy)

Thursday, May 4th. Commencement Day program at 10 a. m. at the Academy building as follows:

Song "Forget me not", Academy Choir.

Invocation, Joseph Peterson.

"In a Year Sweetheart", Double male quartet.

Principal's Annual Report. Clarinet Solo, Frantz Westover.

Valedictory, Dena West.

"The Dance" from Faust, Double Ladies Quartet.

Address to the Graduates—David O. McKay.

(Through a serious accident which he recently had Apostle McKay may not be able to be with us, in which case some other good speaker from Salt Lake City will be here to deliver the address. However, our last word gave us favorable assurances that he would be with us.)

Awarding of Diplomas, President Samuel F. Smith.

Selection, Addah Polka—Orchestra.

The Alumni exercises for May 4th are as follows:

12 noon, Meet at John Flake's ranch. Bring your lunch along.

1 p. m. Barbecue.

2:30 p. m. Baseball—Alumni vs. School.

4 p. m. Meeting with following program, at the Academy.

School song.

Address—Principal Johnson.

School yells.

Reminiscences and Jokes—W. H. Larson.

Initiation of New Members.

Election of officers.

At 8 in the evening the Alumni Ball will take place, and this will mark the final closing event.

Come to Snowflake and have a good time with the Academy.

J. E. J.

Villistas Sentenced to Death

The seven Villistas who were captured after the raid on Columbus and convicted of murder in the first degree were condemned to death last Monday at Deming, N. M. by Judge Edward L. Medler. The date of the execution was set for May 19. The prisoners pleaded that they were ignorant of where they were going at the time of the raid and that they were forced to follow Villa under penalty of death.

Six of the bandits listened unmoved to the sentence of death, but the seventh, Jose Rangel, who had been wounded in the raid, and was carried into court on a cot, cried piteously for mercy.

Judge Medler ordered the prisoners sent to the Santa Fe penitentiary for safe keeping. Only a few persons were present when sentence was pronounced and there was no demonstration.

The names of the six other Villistas who were sentenced to death are Juan Sanchez, Eusebio Renteria, Taurino, Garcia, Jose Rodriguez, Francisco Alvarez and Juan Castillo.

Ring Is Full Of Hats

The Republican presidential situation is not a situation at all—it is a predicament. There are so many available candidates that it is difficult to determine just whose hats are, or are not, in the ring. Anyhow, the ring will need widening if all the head pieces are to be kept within its circle.

Romance Ends in Marriage

A marriage occurred in Phoenix last week which is of local interest, as both of the contracting parties resided in Holbrook about three months ago. The groom was employed by B. N. Dunning, the stone contractor, and the bride conducted a dress-making establishment here.

The marriage was that of Peter F. White and Mrs. Florence Hutton, and was the culmination of a romance begun 30 years ago in Tombstone. Referring to the marriage the Kingman Miner says:

"Thirty years ago White and J. D. Gooding, the father of the bride, were in business together in Tombstone. Gooding had a small daughter, Florence, to whom White was devoted. The little girl was many years the junior of the big boy who would laughingly say to the family, 'I'll wait for her.'"

"Circumstances arose that separated the Goodings from their friend and it was 21 years before White again saw the 'girl' who had never been replaced in his heart. That was two months ago when he met her in Holbrook. Later she visited her father, who is now located in Kingman, who, like White, has made a fortune in mines.

"Haven't I waited long enough?" asked the faithful lover.

"The answer was the wedding."

Safety at Sea

While there is abundant concern regarding the safety of travel on the railroads, it is significant that the accident insurance companies regard the dangers of travel in this way very lightly, and back up their judgment by promises to pay double indemnity in case of accident or death. Mr. Thomas Kinsey is living evidence of the absence of a lot of the imagined dangers of travel at sea. Mr. Kinsey estimates that he has traveled four million miles, and he claims that he has a world's record for distance over the ocean wave. He sums up the story of a life at sea, declaring that he has never been in serious danger in any of his voyages.

Reopening of Canal

Goethals is on top of the job again, and he has the Panama Canal open to traffic. The waterway has virtually been closed for seven months, during which time the dredging fleet has removed a mountain or two. But in such a task as the building of the Panama Canal, minor things hardly count. There have been some attempts at Washington to stir up trouble for Colonel Goethals, but the inspiration of the efforts in this direction appeared to emanate from rival interests engaged in dredge contracts. Advices received at the National Capital are to the effect that Colonel Goethals feels that his task is about finished, and he expects to return to the United States within a few months.

Winslow vs. Holbrook

What promises to be one of the most interesting ball games in Holbrook in years will take place next Sunday, when the best team in Winslow will come here to play.

The Winslow team has for the last two weeks been practicing daily, and expects to uphold the base ball reputation of that town.

Every player on the Holbrook team is in good condition and a battle royal is expected.

Already several small bets have been made on the outcome of the game.

Promptly at 2:30 p. m. the ump will say: "Play Ball."

Position as Cook Wanted

By first class cook and baker. Ready for work at once. Address for particulars F. Cramer, General Delivery, Winslow, Ariz.—Adv. 1 w.

Subscribe for THE NEWS.

Production of Fuller's Earth on The Increase

The fuller's earth industry in this country in 1915 will show a healthy condition, according to reports received by the United States Geological Survey. The industry is comparatively recent, the first production having been reported in 1895 from Florida, though fuller's earth was discovered a few years earlier in Arkansas. The production in 1915 was 47,901 tons, valued at \$489,219, which was an increase of 6,920 tons and \$85,573 over 1914. On the other hand the imports of fuller's earth, which were 19,441 tons, valued at \$152,493 in 1915, decreased 5,536 tons and \$42,590 compared with 1914. The marketed production in 1915 was therefore more than twice as great as the imports, and the value of the domestic earth marketed was more than three times that of the imported earth. The average price per ton of American earth was \$2.37 greater than that of the imported. Fuller's earth is now used principally in clarifying mineral and vegetable oils and fats and greases, though it derived its name from its original use, the fulling of cloths, for it is still employed in a small way. Six States reported production of fuller's earth for 1915, Arkansas, California, Florida, Georgia, Massachusetts, and Texas. The State leading in production is Florida, which reported nearly 75 per cent of the output for 1915. Georgia was second and Arkansas third.

Notice Calling for Bids for Sale of Navajo County Bridge Bonds

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the purchase of the sixty-three thousand (\$63,000,000) dollar issue of Navajo County Bridge Bonds will be received at the office of the Board of Supervisors, of Navajo County, State of Arizona; that said bids will be received until 10:00 o'clock, a. m., Monday, May 1, 1916; that bids must be sealed and addressed to the Board of Supervisors, Navajo County, Holbrook, Arizona, and marked, "Sealed Proposals on Bridge Bonds"; that the whole of said bonds must be sold at date mentioned, but bids on part or all of the issue will be considered; that bids received for the purchase of said bonds, of which there are sixty-three bonds of one thousand dollars each, all drawing five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, will be opened and considered at 10:00, a. m., May 1st, 1916; that any bid, to receive consideration, must be accompanied by a certified draft for five per cent of the total amount of said bid, made payable to Treasurer of Navajo County, Arizona; that said Navajo County has employed S. E. Woods to examine and approve or disapprove said bond issue, therefore rendering it unnecessary for any bidder to include an allowance for attorney fees in bid submitted; and that the Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 7th day of March, A. D. 1916.

Board of Supervisors, Navajo County, Arizona.

By DEE M. MOSS,
Clerk of Board.

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Tax Notice.

The second installment of taxes for the year 1915 are due March 6, 1916, and will be delinquent May 1, 1916.

If taxes are not paid on or before date of delinquency, 4 per cent will be added as penalty, and interest will be charged from date of delinquency at the rate of 10 per cent per annum until paid.

J. W. RICHARDS,
Tax Collector, Navajo County.
1st pub. Mar. 3—tf.

Wetzler's are headquarters for best oranges. Adv.

Read the advertising columns of The News; it will pay you.